

Torrance, California.  
May 9th., 1933.

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING  
OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF  
THE CITY OF TORRANCE.

The regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Torrance, was held in the Council Chamber at Torrance, California, May 9th., 1933, and was called to order at 7:45 P.M. by Mayor Klusman.

The following Councilmen were present: COUNCILMEN: Hitchcock, Ludlow, Wright and Klusman. ABSENT: COUNCILMAN: Conner.

Councilman Ludlow moved that the minutes of the regular meeting of April 25th., 1933, and the minutes of an adjourned regular meeting of May 3rd., 1933, be adopted. Councilman Hitchcock seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

Councilman Conner arrived at 8:00 o'clock.

Clerk Bartlett read a communication from the Los Angeles County League of Municipalities inviting the Mayor, Councilmen and all City Officials of Los Angeles County Cities to a dinner meeting at 6:30 P.M. to be held in the City of El Segundo on Thursday, May 18th., 1933. Councilman Ludlow moved the letter be filed. Councilman Hitchcock seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

Clerk Bartlett read applications for Beverage Licenses as follows:

S.L. Van Camp Corner Hawthorne Blvd. & Newton St., Walteria	"On Sale"
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Ludwig C. Miller, 1927 Carson St., Torrance, Calif.	"On Sale"
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Oscar Bowersox 1975 Carson St., Torrance, Calif.	"Off Sale"
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Councilman Conner moved the three applications for licenses be granted. Councilman Hitchcock seconded the motion, which was carried, Councilman Wright voting No.

Mayor Klusman reported he had attended a recent meeting of the Directors of the Los Angeles County League of Municipalities and they were of the opinion that the 1/2 cent Gasoline Tax Bill would go through.

Mayor Klusman reported further with reference to the Sanitation Sewer District Meeting, that Mr. Darby made a motion to proceed with the work on the Outfall, which motion the Mayor stated he seconded, but the Committee recommended 30 more days' time to hear from the opponents, so the motion was withdrawn. Mr. Warren presented a report on the estimated cost of the Outfall Sewer.

Councilman Ludlow called attention to the request for amendment to the Beverage Ordinance filed at last meeting. Attorney Jensen recommended further delay on this as the State law was not yet in effect, and we would undoubtedly have to make several amendments to the ordinance to conform to the State ordinance.

Councilman Ludlow inquired as to progress in the water bond matter, and Attorney Jensen stated he had learned that an emergency clause could be added to the bond ordinance, if necessary, that Mr. Rambo would probably start work on the water district examination the first of the coming week.

Councilman Ludlow asked Engineer Leonard if he had anything to report on the Pacific Electric Parkway on Torrance Boulevard. Engineer Leonard stated that the Resolution requesting \$4800.00 to apply toward labor on this project had been again presented to the Board of Supervisors but no action had been taken by the Board as yet.

Councilman Ludlow asked whether or not there were any further developments on G.P. Road. Engineer Leonard reported he had not yet received a written communication from the General Petroleum Corporation with reference to the extension of Cedar Avenue.

Councilman Ludlow asked the Mayor if there was any report from the Water or Land Committees, and also recommended obtaining the services of a Consulting Engineer to act in an advisory capacity with Engineer Leonard. Mayor Klusman replied that the Water Company had not yet submitted their report to the Water Committee, and the Land Committee had no report as yet. He further stated that he was much opposed to spending any money for Consulting Engineers, that the Council and City Engineer could handle work satisfactorily. After some discussion, Councilman Ludlow moved that the Council make arrangements with various Engineering representatives to appear at an informal meeting with the Council and discuss their propositions. Councilman Wright seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously. Tuesday evening, May 16th., at 7:00 P.M. was the time set to have this meeting.

Councilman Conner asked the Engineer when the map showing the layout of the tree arrangement for the New Park would be ready. Engineer Leonard reported that the map would be ready for the next meeting.

Councilman Ludlow moved that warrants be drawn for all bills properly audited. Councilman Wright seconded the motion, which was duly carried by the following roll call vote: AYES: COUNCILMEN: Conner, Hitchcock, Ludlow, Wright and Klusman. NOES: COUNCILMEN: None. ABSENT: COUNCILMEN: None.

Councilman Conner moved that the meeting be adjourned. Councilman Hitchcock seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 9:30 P.M.

A. H. Bartlett  
City Clerk of the City of Torrance.

Approved:

[Signature]  
Mayor of the City of Torrance.

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Clerk Bartlett read a communication addressed to Mayor Klusman from Charles J. Colden, Congressman, offering seeds for trees to be planted in the park.